A new Almanacke and Prognostication, for the yeere of Christes Incarnation. 1589.

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For this yeere of our Lord. 1589 which is the first after the Leape yeere, according to the of the Church of Englande.

THE Golden number or Prime is. xiii.
The circle of the Sunne is. ii.
The Epact is. xviii.
The Dominicall letter is. E.
Indictio is. ii.

Interuallum or the tyme betweene Christmas and Shrouetlinday, are. vi. weekes and. iiii. dayes.

Septuagesima Sunday is the. xxvi. day of January.
Shrouetsunday is the. ix. day of Februarie.
The first day of Lent, is the. xii. of Februarie.
Easter day is the. xxi. of March.
Rogation Sunday is the. iiii. of May.
The Ascention day is the. viii. of May.
Whitsunday is the. xviii. of May.
Trinitie Sunday is the. xxv. of May.
Aduent Sunday is the. xxx. of Nouember.

Betweene Newyeeres day and Septuagesima, are. iii. weekes and. iiii. dayes
Betweene Newyeeres day and Shrouesunday, are. v. weekes and. iiii. dayes.
Betweene Easter and Rogation Sunday are. v. weekes.
Betweene Whitsunday and Midsommer, are. v. weekes, and two dayes.
Betweene Midsommer & Bartholomew tyde, are. ix. weekes and two dayes.
Betweene Bartholomewtyde and the feast of All Saintes are. ix. weekes and. v. dayes.
Sundayes betweene the Trinitie and Aduent are. xxvi.

Necessarie

Neceſſarie Notes for conuenient times to ſowe, ſet, plant, graffe, and to cut downe Tymber. &c.

THe conuenientest tymes to ſet, ſow, plant, graffe, and ſuch lyke (hauyng regarde to the ſeaſons of the yeere) are when the Moone is in Taurus, Virgo, Capricorne, or Piſces and that betweene the change and the full.

You may ſow ſeedes, eſpecially in gardens, betweene ỹ change and the ful, when the Moone is in Virgo, Sagittarius, or Piſces.

Set or Sow ſuch Seedes as ſhalbe round, as namely Onyons, Turneppes, Cabages, and ſuch lyke, three or foure dayes before the full of the Moone.

Sow or ſet ſuch ſeedes or herbes, as ye would haue to bring ſeede for ſtore, euery new Moone from Februarie vntyl June.

If you do remoue any Trees, or wyll plant them that are young, it is beſt doyng of it in the laſt quarter of the Moone, ſhe hauyng her courſe in Taurus or Capricornus, and eſpecially in the monthes of Februarie or September.

If you will cut Vines, do it when the Moone is in Aries, Libra, or Scorpius, and that in Februarie, Marth, September, or the begynnyng of October.

When ye wyll cut downe Trees for Tymber to buylde withall, do it towarde the laſt end of the Quarter of ỹ Moone, and chiefly in thꝛ ſignes Aquarius and Piſces.

If ye wyll cut Woodde to burne, and would haue the ſtocke to growe ſoone agayne, do it in the fyrſt quarter of the Moone, and when ſhe is in the ſigne Aries or Libra.

Ye may gelde or cut Beaſtes and Cattell, from the laſt quarter, vnto the change of the Moone, and eſpecially when ſhe hath her courſe in Aries Sagittarius, or Capricornus.

¶ For the Phiſicall obſeruatioes, as meete tymes to let blood, to purge, to bath, and to ſweate in, &c. ye ſhall fynde them placed in the Prognoſtication, with a declaration of ỹ Eclipſe of the Moone which ſhalbe the xv. day of Auguſt. 1589. and all other neceſſary thynges conuenient and meete for ſuche a worke.

The Anatomie of mans body, as the partes thereof are gouerned by the. xii. Celestiall Signes.

Januarie hath.xxxj.dayes.

The Sunne ryseth at. viij. a clocke, and. iiij. minutes.
And setteth at. iii. and. lvi. minutes.

i	a	Newyceres da	Scorpi.11	42
ii	b	Octa. Stephã.	Scorpi.25	58
iii	c	Octa. John.	Sagit.10	32
iiii	d	Octa. Innocen	Sagit.25	22
v	E	Depo. of Edw	Capri.10	2
vi	f	Twelfe day.	Capri.25	8
vii	g	Felix & Janua.	Aquari.10	12
viii	a	Lucian priest.	Aqua.25	2
ix	b	Joyce virg.	Pisces.9	26
x	c	Sun in Aqua.	Pisces.23	30
xi	d	Atlas.	Aries.7	13
xii	E	Archade mart.	Aries.20	33
xiii	f	Hillarie bysho.	Taurus.3	35
xiiii	g	Felix priest.	Taur.16	15
xv	a	Maurice.	Taur.28	39
xvi	b	Marcell. bysh.	Gemin.10	44
xvii	c	Depo. of Anth	Gemi.22	44
xviii	d	Prisca virgin.	Cancer.4	32
xix	E	Wolstane bysh	Cance.16	13
xx	f	Fabian & Seb	Cance.27	40
xxi	g	Agnes virg.	Leo. 9	40
xxii	a	Vincent mart.	Leo. 21	31
xxiii	b	Terme begins	Virgo.3	24
xxiiii	c	Tmothe disci	Virgo.15	34
xxv	d	Con. of Paul.	Virgo.27	59
xxvi	E	Septuagesima.	Libra.10	39
xxvii	f	Agnes ỹ secon	Libra.23	45
xxviii	g	Valerius bish.	Scorp.7	10
xxix	a	Theodore pries	Scorp.20	56
xxx	b	Batild queene	Sagit.5	15
xxxi	c	Saturnine.	Sagit.19	38

● New Moone, the. vi. day, at one a clocke and vii. minutes after noone, colde and darke weather.

☽ First quarter, the. xiii. day, at. xi. a clocke and iiii. minuts before noone, colde, but fayre.

○ Full Moone, the. xxi. day, at iiii. a clocke in the after noone, rayne and wynd.

☾ Last quarter, the. xxix. day, at. ix. a clocke before noone, colde with some frost.

Februarie hath.xxviij.dayes.

The Sunne ryseth at. vij. a clocke, and. xiiij. minutes.
Setteth at. iiij. and. xvi. minutes.

i	d	Byget. Fast.	Capri.4	22	
ii	e	Purif. of Mari	Capri.19	16	
iii	f	Blase bythop.	Aqua.4	7	● New Moone, the. iiii. day, at.xi.a clocke and xxxiiii.min.before midnyght, cloudy colde weather.
iiii	g	Gylbert byth.	Aqua.18	49	
v	a	Agathee virg.	Pisces.3	24	
vi	b	Uenas.& Amā.	Pisces.17	40	
vii	c	Angule byth.	Aries.1	37	
viii	d	Paul bythop.	Aries.15	17	
ix	e	Sun in Pisces	Aries.28	30	
x	f	Scholastica.	Taur.11	27	
xi	g	Eufrasie virg.	Taur.24	12	☽ Firſt quarter, the.xii. day, at v.a clocke in the mornyng, variable and colde weather.
xii	a	Terme endes.	Gemini.6	42	
xiii	b	Molfran byth.	Gemi.18	56	
xiiii	c	Valentine.	Cancer.1	0	
xv	d	Faunti.& Joui.	Cancer.13	1	
xvi	e	f. Sun.in Lent	Canc.24	58	
xvii	f	Policron byth.	Leo. 6	50	
xviii	g	Hugh byth.	Leo. 18	48	
xix	a	Ember wecke	Uirgo.0	48	
xx	b	Mildred virg.	Uirgo.12	55	● Full Moone, the.xx. day, at ix.a clocke before noone, wynd and rayne.
xxi	c	Lxxix. martirs	Uirgo.25	13	
xxii	d	Peters chayre	Libra.7	46	
xxiii	e	Policar. Fast.	Libra.20	34	
xxiiii	f	Mathias apoſ	Scorp.3	46	
xxv	g	Innoc.of Paul	Scorp.17	16	
xxvi	a	Nestor mart.	Sagit.1	2	☾ Laſt quarter, the.xxvii. day, at. vi. a clocke in the euenyng, cloudie and colde, diſposed to showe or fleete.
xxvii	b	Auguſtine byth	Sagit.15	16	
xxviii	c	Oswalde byth	Sagit.29	36	

March hath.xxxi.dayes.

The Sunne ryseth at.vi.a clocke,and.xviij.minutes.
Setteth at.v.and.xlij.minutes.

i	d	Dauid bysh.	Capri.14	13
ii	e	Chadde bysh.	Capri.28	15
iii	f	Maurice.	Aqua.13	30
iiii	g	Adrian mart.	Aqua.28	0
v	a	Focas & Euse.	Pisces.12	10
vi	b	Vict.& Victor.	Pisces.26	14
vii	c	Perpetue.	Aries.9	52
viii	d	Felix mart.	Aries.23	14
ix	e	XL. Martyrs.	Taur.6	21
x	f	Agapite.	Taur.19	11
xi	g	Sun in Aries.	Gemini.1	50
xii	a	Gregorie bysh.	Gemi.14	15
xiii	b	Theodor mart	Gemi.26	39
xiiii	c	Candide mart	Canc.8	49
xv	d	Longine mar.	Canc.20	56
xvi	e	Boniface bish.	Leo. 2	59
xvii	f	Gertrude virg	Leo. 15	6
xviii	g	Edward king	Leo. 27	16
xix	a	Iosep.mar.hus	Virgo.9	35
xx	b	Cuthbert.	Virgo.22	0
xxi	c	Benedict.	Libra.4	34
xxii	d	Afrodose.	Libra.17	23
xxiii	e	Theodor.	Scorp.0	25
xxiiii	f	Botulph. Fast	Scorp.13	53
xxv	g	Annu.bi Mari	Scorp.27	36
xxvi	a	Castor mart.	Sagit.11	37
xxvii	b	Martian.	Sagit.25	54
xxviii	c	Dorothe virg.	Capri.10	20
xxix	d	Quintine.	Capri.24	53
xxx	e	Easter day.	Aqua.9	21
xxxi	f	Adelme.	Aqua.23	45

● New Moone, the.vi.day, at x.a clocke &.xxv. min before noone, rayne and stormy weather.

☽ First quarter, the.xiii.day, at xxv.minuts after mydnyght, temperate for this tyme.

● Full Moone, the.xxi.day, at xi. a clocke and xxxi. minutes at nyght, windy and foule weather.

☾ Last quarter, the.xxviii.day, at midnyght, somewhat wyndy with moysture.

Aprill hath.xxx.dayes.

The Sunne ryseth at.v.a clocke, and. xvii. minutes.
Setteth at. vi. and. xliii. minutes.

i	g	Gildarde.	Pisces.7	56	
ii	a	Mary Egypt.	Pisces.21	52	
iii	b	Richarde bysh	Aries.5	25	● New Moone, the.iiii.day, at x. a clocke & .xxv. minuts at nyght, freshe and drye weather.
iiii	c	Ambrose bish.	Aries.18	46	
v	d	Vincentius.	Taurus.1	48	
vi	E	Sextus bish.	Taur.14	36	
vii	f	Euphemie vir	Taur.27	12	
viii	g	Egesippus.	Gemini.9	37	
ix	a	Perpetuus.	Gemi.21	52	
x	b	Sun in Taur	Cancer.4	0	
xi	c	Appoline.	Cance.16	16	☽ First quarter, the. xii. day, at vii. a clocke & .xiii. min. in the euenyng, some shewers, but warme.
xii	d	Julius byshop.	Canct. 28	28	
xiii	E	Zenoni byshop.	Leo. 10	40	
xiiii	f	Olyffe.	Leo. 22	55	
xv	g	Oswalde arch	Virgo.5	17	
xvi	a	Terme begin.	Virgo.17	45	
xvii	b	Anicete.	Libra.0	22	
xviii	c	Eluther. bysh.	Libra.13	20	
xix	d	Alphege bysh.	Libra.26	34	● Full Moone, the.xx.day, at xi. a clocke & .xii. min. before none. moyst variable weather.
xx	E	Victor bysh.	Scorpio.9	57	
xxi	f	Symeon bish.	Scorp.23	40	
xxii	g	Sother virg.	Sagit.7	40	
xxiii	a	George mart.	Sagit.21	56	
xxiiii	b	Wilfride.	Capri.6	22	
xxv	c	Marke euang	Capri.21	6	
xxvi	d	Clete bysh.	Aqua.5	39	☾ Last quarter, the.xxvii. day, at.v. a clocke and xii. min. the mornyng, seasonable for this tyme.
xxvii	E	Anastase bysh.	Aqua.20	2	
xxviii	f	Vitalis mart.	Pisces.4	21	
xxix	g	Peter of Myl.	Pisces.18	20	
xxx	a	Depo. of Erkē	Aries. 2	0	

May hath.xxxj.dayes.

The Sunne ryſeth at. iiii. a clocke, and. xxiii. minutes.
Setteth at. vii. and. xxxvii. minutes.

i	b	Philip & Iaco	Aries. 15	18		
ii	c	Athanaſius.	Aries. 28	20		
iii	d	Inuent. of crol	Taur. 11	0		
iiii	e	Rogatiõ ſunda	Taur. 23	30	●	New Moone, the. iiii. day, at xi. a clocke, and xiiii. min. before hygh noone, wind with ſome raine.
v	f	Godbarn.	Gemini. 5	44		
vi	g	Iohn port latt.	Gemi. 17	56		
vii	a	Iohn of Beuer	Gemin. 29	59		
viii	b	Aſcention day.	Cancer. 11	59		
ix	c	Tranſl. Nicho.	Cancr. 23	59		
x	d	Godiã & Epi.	Leo. 6	1		
xi	e	Sun in Gemi.	Leo. 18	7		
xii	f	Terme endes.	Virgo. 0	22	☽	Firſt quarter, the. xii. day, at one a clocke after hygh noone, variable, enclyned to ſome ſhoures.
xiii	g	Seruatius.	Virgo. 12	45		
xiiii	a	Boniface.	Virgo. 25	25		
xv	b	Iſidore.	Libra. 8	19		
xvi	c	Brandon byſh	Libra. 21	27		
xvii	d	Tran. of Bar.	Scorp. 4	52		
xviii	e	Whitſunday.	Scorp. 18	41		
xix	f	Dunſtane conf	Sagit. 2	43		
xx	g	Barnardine.	Sagit. 16	54	●	Full Moone, the. xix. day, at ix. a cloche at nyght, windy and variable.
xxi	a	Ember weeke	Capri. 1	10		
xxii	b	Iulian virg.	Capri. 15	36		
xxiii	c	Deſiderie.	Aqua. 1	15		
xxiiii	d	Tranſl. of Frã	Aqua. 15	55		
xxv	e	Trinitie ſund	Pisces. 0	28		
xxvi	f	Adelme byſh.	Pisces. 14	43		
xxvii	g	Germane byſh.	Pisces. 28	40	☾	Laſt quarter, the. xxvi. day, at. xi. a clocke and xiiii. min. before noone, variable and moyſt.
xxviii	a	Capone mart.	Aries. 12	10		
xxix	b	Nicomede.	Aries. 25	20		
xxx	c	Terme begin.	Taur. 8	10		
xxxi	d	Merius.	Taur. 20	42		

June hath.xxx.dayes.

The Sunne ryseth at. iij. a clocke, and. xlvii. minutes.
Setteth at. viij. and. xiii. minutes.

i	G	Nichomede.	Gemin.2	55	
ii	f	Marcellus.	Gemi.14	58	
iii	g	Erasmus mar.	Gemi.26	56	● New Moone, the. iii. day, at one a clock in the mornyng, wynde and rayne.
iiii	a	Petrocius.	Cancer.8	41	
v	b	Bonifacius.	Cance.20	28	
vi	c	Melone.	Leo. 2	15	
vii	d	Claude bysh.	Leo. 14	5	
viii	G	Medard & Gyl	Leo. 26	7	
ix	f	Trans. Edmu	Virgo.8	15	
x	g	Juan confes.	Virgo.20	35	
xi	a	Barnabe Apos	Libra.3	16	☽ First quarter, the. xi. day, at iiii. a clocke and x. min. in the mornyng, temperate warme weather.
xii	b	Sun[illegible] Cane.	Libra.16	8	
xiii	c	Anthonie con.	Libra.29	23	
xiiii	d	Basil bysh.	Scorp.13	0	
xv	G	Vite & Mode.	Scorp. 26	56	
xvi	f	Tran. of Rich	Sagit.11	17	
xvii	g	Botulph.	Sagit.25	50	
xviii	a	Terme endes	Capri. 10	40	
xix	b	Geruasius.	Capri. 25	33	● Full Moone, the. xviii. day, at. iiii. a clock and xxv. minuts in the mornyng, moyst for a tyme.
xx	c	Tran. Edwa.	Aqua.10	35	
xxi	d	Walburge.	Aqua. 25	25	
xxii	G	Alban mart.	Pisces.9	59	
xxiii	f	Audry. Fast.	Pisce.24	21	
xxiiii	g	John Baptist.	Aries.8	16	
xxv	a	Tran. of Eleg	Aries. 21	48	
xxvi	b	John & Paul.	Taur.4	58	
xxvii	c	Crescens.	Taur.17	45	☾ Last quarter, the. xxiiii. day, at. vii. a clocke in the euening, raine with wynde.
xxviii	d	Leonis. Fast.	Gemini.0	16	
xxix	G	Peter apostle.	Gemin. 12	24	
xxx	f	Com. of Paul	Gemin.24	22	

July hath. xxxj. dayes.

The Sunne ryseth. liij. min. after. iij. a clocke.
Setteth. vij. minutes after. viij.

i	g	Oct. John bap	Cancer. 6	10	
ii	a	Visita. of mary	Cancer. 17	57	● New Moone, the. ii. day, at iiii. a clocke at after noone, warme, with some moysture fallyng.
iii	b	Transl. of Tho	Cancr. 29	29	
iiii	c	Transl. of Mar	Leo. 11	6	
v	d	Joe virg.	Leo. 22	49	
vi	e	Oct. pet. & paul	Virgo. 4	43	
vii	f	Dogdayes beg	Virgo. 16	43	
viii	g	Depo. of Grim	Virgo. 29	0	
ix	a	Cyrill bysshop.	Libra. 11	30	
x	b	Vii. brethren.	Libra. 24	20	☽ First quarter, the. x. day, at v. a clocke, & xliii. minutes at after noone, soultrie warme weather.
xi	c	Transl. of Ben	Scorpio. 7	35	
xii	d	Nabor & Felix	Scorp. 21	13	
xiii	e	Sunne in Leo.	Sagit. 5	10	
xiiii	f	Kenell.	Sagit. 19	34	
xv	g	Transl. of Swi	Capri. 4	14	
xvi	a	Transl. of Oslu	Capri. 19	13	
xvii	b	Kenelme king.	Aqua. 4	13	
xviii	c	Armolphe.	Aqua. 19	10	
xix	d	Rufine & Just.	Pisces. 4	5	● Full Moone, the. xvii. day, at. x. a clocke before hygh noone, warme and watery weather.
xx	e	Margaret.	Pisces. 18	45	
xxi	f	Praxed.	Aries. 3	5	
xxii	g	Mary Magd.	Aries. 17	5	
xxiii	a	Apolonaris.	Taur. 0	38	
xxiiii	b	Thyllin. Fast	Taur. 13	54	
xxv	c	James Apostl.	Taur. 26	44	
xxvi	d	Anna. of Mar	Gemini. 9	14	
xxvii	e	Vii. sleepers.	Gemi. 21	31	☾ Last quarter, the. xxiii. day, at. iiii. a clocke and. xl. min. in the morning, warme weather.
xxviii	f	Samson bysh.	Cancer. 3	31	
xxix	g	Felix. & his fel.	Cancer. 15	20	
xxx	a	Abdon & Sen.	Cancr. 27	7	
xxxi	b	German bysh.	Leo. 8	45	

Auguſt hath .xxxj. dayes.

The Suune ryſeth at. iiii. a clocke, and .xxxvi. minutes.
Setteth at. vii. and. xxiiii. minutes.

i	c	Lammas day.	Leo. 20	33	
ii	d	Steuen mart.	Virgo. 2	4	● New Moone, the. i. day, at viii. a clock in the morning, cloudy warme weather.
iii	e	Inuen. of Steu.	Virgo. 13	52	
iiii	f	Iuſtine preſt.	Virgo. 25	52	
v	g	Feſtum Nuis.	Libra. 8	3	
vi	a	Tran. of Thzi	Libra. 20	33	
vii	b	Feaſt of Ieſus	Scorp. 3	19	☽ Fyrſt quarter, the. ix. day, at iiii. a clocke & .xx. min. in the morning, warme, and lyke to thunder.
viii	c	Ciria. & his fel	Scorp. 16	32	
ix	d	Romane mart.	Scorp. 29	59	
x	e	Laurence mart	Sagit. 14	0	
xi	f	Tyburt mart.	Sagit. 28	22	
xii	g	Clare virg.	Capri. 13	0	
xiii	a	Sun in Virgo.	Capri. 27	38	
xiiii	b	Tyburtie.	Aqua. 12	46	
xv	c	Aſſump. of mar	Aqua. 27	43	
xvi	d	Roch mart.	Piſces. 12	30	● Full Moone, Eclipſed the xv. day, at. viii. a clocke, & .xxi. min. at nyght, ſomewhat boyſterous weather.
xvii	e	Oct. Laurenc.	Piſces. 27	2	
xviii	f	Dog dayes end	Aries. 11	18	
xix	g	Magnus mart	Aries. 25	15	
xx	a	Lewes byſh.	Taurus. 8	48	
xxi	b	Barnarde.	Taur. 21	59	
xxii	c	Phinatus.	Gemini. 4	53	☾ Laſt quarter, the. xxii. day, at viii. a clocke and xxv. min. in the euenyng, fayre and freſh.
xxiii	d	Tymot. Faſt.	Gemi. 17	33	
xxiiii	e	Bartho. apoſt	Gemin. 29	52	
xxv	f	Lewes kyng.	Cancer. 12	2	
xxvi	g	Generine.	Cance. 24	3	
xxvii	a	Ruſtine mart.	Leo. 5	56	
xxviii	b	Auſtyne byſh.	Leo. 17	43	● New Moone, the. xxv. day, at xi. at nyght, cloudis wather.
xxix	c	John beheaū.	Leo. 29	31	
xxx	d	Felix & Audac.	Virgo. 11	22	
xxxi	e	Cuthbur. virg	Virgo. 23	17	

September hath.xxx.dayes.

The Sunne ryſeth at. v. a clocke, and. xxxvi. minutes.
Setteth at, vi. and. xxiiij. minutes.

i	f	Gyles abbot.	Libra.5	23	
ii	g	Anthonis mar	Libra.17	40	
iii	a	Dyonis. Greg.	Scorp.0	15	
iiii	b	Transl. of Cut	Scorp.13	2	☽ Fyrſt quarter, the. vii. day, at hygh noone, very warme for this ſeaſon.
v	c	Bertine.	Scorp.26	16	
vi	d	Eugenius.	Sagit.9	46	
vii	e	Nat. Reg. Eliz.	Sagit.23	46	
viii	f	Matt. of Mary	Capri.8	5	
ix	g	Gorgonius.	Capri.22	36	
x	a	Felicis.	Aqua.7	15	
xi	b	Prothy & Jacl	Aqua.22	1	● Full Moone, the xiii. day, at. iii. a clocke & .l. min. in the mornyng, very inconſtant and foule weather.
xii	c	Martinian.	Piſces.6	43	
xiii	d	Sim in Libia.	Piſces.21	15	
xiiii	e	Holy Crouſſ.	Aries.5	36	
xv	f	Oct. nat. mary	Aries.19	36	
xvi	g	Edith virg.	Taur.3	21	
xvii	a	Ember weeke	Taur.16	43	
xviii	b	Victor & Cor.	Taur.29	46	
xix	c	Januarii mar.	Gemi.12	42	
xx	d	Euſtace. Faſt.	Gemi.25	17	
xxi	e	Mathew apoſt	Cance.7	39	☾ Laſt quarter, the. xxi. day, at xl. min. after high noone, ſeaſonable for this tyme.
xxii	f	Mauritius.	Cance.19	56	
xxiii	g	Tecla virg.	Leo. 2	4	
xxiiii	a	Anmochens.	Leo. 14	7	
xxv	b	Firmine.	Leo. 26	10	
xxvi	c	Cipri. & Juſti.	Virgo.8	10	
xxvii	d	Cosm. & Dam.	Virgo.20	15	● New Moone, the. xxix. day, at. ii. a clocke and vii. min. at after noone, cloudy and wyndy weather.
xxviii	e	Exuperius.	Libra.2	25	
xxix	f	Michael arch	Libra.14	47	
xxx	g	Jerome prieſt	Libra.27	20	

October hath.xxxj.dayes.

The Sunne ryseth at. vi. a clocke and.xxxiiii. minutes.
Setteth at. v. and. xxvi. minutes.

i	a	Remigius bish	Scorp. 10	0	
ii	b	Leodegar. mar	Scorp. 23	5	
iii	c	Candide mart	Sagit. 6	31	Fyrst quarter, the. vi. day, at vii. a clocke and xlviii. minutes at nyght, windy and wet weather.
iiii	d	Frauncis virg	Sagit. 20	10	
v	e	Appolinarii.	Capri. 4	13	
vi	f	Fayth virg.	Capri. 18	28	
vii	g	Marci. & Mar	Aqua. 2	56	
viii	a	Pelagius virg	Aqua. 17	30	
ix	b	Terme begins	Pisces. 2	4	
x	c	Gereon & Cist	Pisces. 16	34	
xi	d	Nichasius bish	Aries. 0	43	
xii	e	Willfride.	Aries. 14	34	Full Moone, the. xiii. day, at. ii. a clocke and xxxii. min. after noone, freshe and colde weather.
xiii	f	Sym in Scorp	Aries. 28	22	
xiiii	g	Calixt bysh.	Taur. 11	46	
xv	a	Wolfran.	Taur. 24	52	
xvi	b	Wich. of mont	Gemini. 7	50	
xvii	c	Transl. of Eth	Gemi. 20	27	
xviii	d	Luke Euange	Cancer. 2	53	
xix	e	Fydelwyde.	Cancer. 15	14	Last quarter, the. xxi. day, at viii. a clocke in the morning, sodayne wyndy blastes, and variable weather.
xx	f	Anstrebert.	Cance. 27	28	
xxi	g	V. M. virg.	Leo. 9	40	
xxii	a	Mary Salom.	Leo. 21	46	
xxiii	b	Romane arch.	Virgo. 3	58	
xxiiii	c	Magloire bish.	Virgo. 16	10	
xxv	d	Crisi. & Crispi.	Virgo. 28	29	
xxvi	e	Ursula.	Libra. 10	57	New Moone, the. xxix. day, at. iiii. a clocke & xl. min. in ỹ morning, colde moyst weather.
xxvii	f	Florence. Fast	Libra. 23	37	
xxviii	g	Simon & Jude	Scorp. 6	27	
xxix	a	Marcellus.	Scorp. 19	23	
xxx	b	German.	Sagit. 2	57	
xxxi	c	Quintin. Fast.	Sagit. 16	38	

Nouember hath. xxx. dayes.

The Sunne ryseth at. vii. a clocke, and. xxvi. minutes.
Setteth at. iiii. and. xxiiii. minutes.

i	d	All Sainctes.	Capri. 0	35
ii	☾		Capri. 14	54
iii	f	Menefryde.	Capri. 29	15
iiii	g	Amantius.	Aqua. 13	45
v	a	Lete priest.	Aqua. 28	16
vi	b	Leonarde.	Pisces. 12	41
vii	c	Milbrode.	Pisces. 26	51
viii	d	iiii. crowned.	Aries. 10	54
ix	☾	Theodore.	Aries. 24	34
x	f	Martin.	Taur. 7	56
xi	g	Martin bysh.	Taur. 20	55
xii	a	Sun in Sagit.	Gemin. 3	43
xiii	b	Brice bysh.	Gemi. 16	16
xiiii	c	Trans. of Erk	Gemi. 28	39
xv	d	Machute.	Cance. 10	51
xvi	☾	Edmund arch.	Canc. 22	58
xvii	f	Init. Reg. Eliz.	Leo. 5	7
xviii	g	Oct. Martini.	Leo. 17	8
xix	a	Elizabet. mat	Leo. 29	18
xx	b	Edmund king	Virgo. 11	30
xxi	c	Presen. of mary	Virgo. 23	48
xxii	d	Cicely virg.	Libra. 6	16
xxiii	☾	Clement.	Libra. 18	55
xxiiii	f	Grysogon.	Scorp. 1	47
xxv	g	Katherine.	Scorp. 14	55
xxvi	a	Lyne byshop.	Scorp. 28	23
xxvii	b	Agricola.	Sagit. 12	6
xxviii	c	Terme endes.	Sagit. 26	10
xxix	d	Saturn. Fast.	Capri. 10	24
xxx	☾	Andrew. Adu.	Capri. 24	56

☽ First quarter, the. v. day, at two clocke, and. x. min. in the mornyng, wynde and rayne.

○ Full Moone, the. xii. day, at iiii. a clocke in the mornyng, colde & moyst weather.

☾ Last quarter, the. xx. day, at iiii. a clocke and xxvi. min. in the mornyng, fayre and wyndy.

● New Moone, the. xxvii. day, at. v. a clocke and xxiiii. min. in the euenyng, wyndy & rayny weather.

December hath .xxxj. dayes.

The Sunne ryſeth at .viij. a clocke, and. xi. minutes.
Setteth at. iij. and. xlix. minutes.

i	f	Elegi byſhop.	Aqua.9	34	
ii	g	Libian mart.	Aqua.24	18	
iii	a	Depo.of Dūn	Piſces.8	52	Fyll quarter, the.iiii. day, at x. a clocke, & xvi. min before noone, very foule weather.
iiii	b	Barbara virg.	Piſces.23	17	
v	c	Sabbe abbot.	Aries.7	30	
vi	d	Nic. olas byſh.	Aries.21	12	
vii	e	Oct.of Andre.	Taurus.4	43	
viii	f	Conc.of Mari	Taur.17	48	
ix	g	Cyprian abbot	Gemin.0	36	
x	a	Eulali virg.	Gemin.13	4	
xi	b	Damaſe biſh.	Gemi.25	18	
xii	c	Sun in Capri.	Cancer.7	28	
xiii	d	Lucie virg.	Cance.19	24	Full Moone, the. xi. day, at viii. a clocke and xxxi. minutes at nyght, temperate weather for this tyme.
xiiii	e	Otholi virg.	Leo. 1	18	
xv	f	Valeri byſh.	Leo. 13	10	
xvi	g	O ſapientia.	Leo. 25	6	
xvii	a	Ember weeke	Virgo.7	6	
xviii	b	Gracian.	Virgo.19	12	
xix	c	Venetia virg.	Libra.1	27	
xx	d	Julian. Faſt.	Libra.13	56	Laſt quarter, the. xix. day, xxvii. min. after mydnyght, colde cloſe weather.
xxi	e	Thomas apoſt	Libra.26	40	
xxii	f	xxx. Martirs	Scorp.9	40	
xxiii	g	Victor virgin.	Scorp.22	56	
xxiiii	a	Candid. Faſt.	Sagit.6	36	
xxv	b	Chriſtmas day	Sagit.20	36	
xxvi	c	Stephen mart	Capri.4	52	
xxvii	d	John Evang.	Capri.19	30	New Moone, the. xxvii. day, at. v. a clocke in the morning, colde wyndy weather.
xxviii	e	Innocentes.	Aqua.4	16	
xxix	f		Aqua.19	10	
xxx	g	Tran.of Jam	Piſces.4	5	
xxxi	a	Sciuctter byſh	Piſces.18	48	

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A Prognostication for this yeere of our Lorde GOD.

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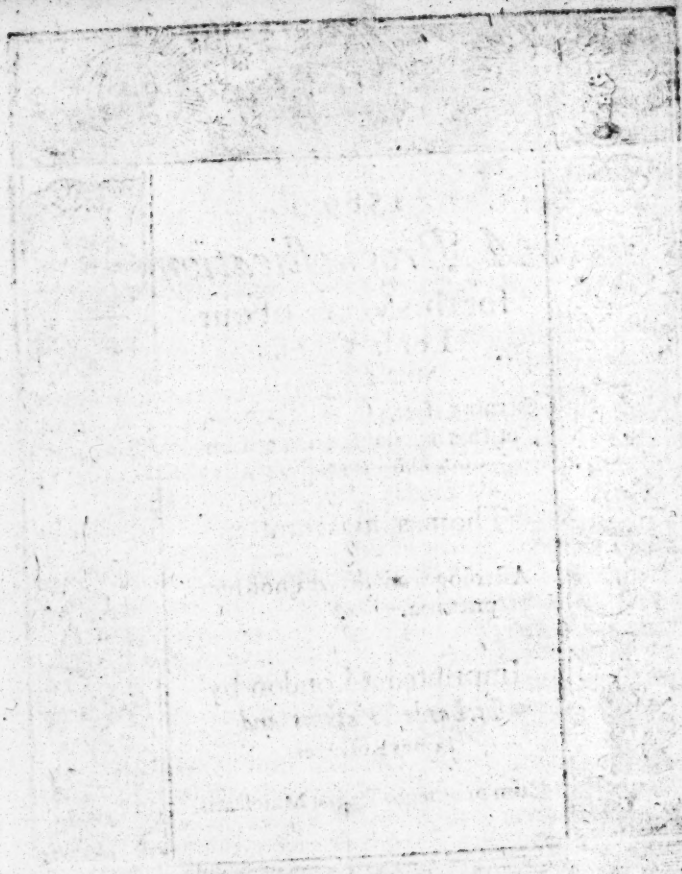

Some ſhort, but neceſſarie Obſerua- tions to be vſed in letting of Blood, Purging, Bathing, and Sweating.

LEt Blood at no tyme without iuſt cauſe, and then let it be done with the conſideration and aduice of the learned Phiſition.

Let no Blood eyther in extreame hot, or extreame colde weather.

The Spring and the Harueſt ſeaſons, are beſt tymes for Blood letting: but if neede do enforce it to be done in the hot Sommer, then do it in the morning by. viii. of ỳ clocke at the fartheſt. If in Winter, do it about the noone tyde of the day, and in fayre cleere weather, as neare as ye can.

Let young men Bleede in the fyrſt quarter of the Moone, and olde men in the laſt quarter.

In the fyrſt quarter alſo it is beſt bleeding for Sanguine complexions. In the ſeconde for the Chollericke. In the thyrde for the Flegmaticke. And in the laſt quarter for the Melancholy.

Generally Blood may be let when the Moone is in Aries, Libra, Sagittari, and Piſces.

Perticulerly, as for Chollericke perſons, when the Moone is in Cancer, Scorpius, and Piſces.

For the Flegmaticke, when the Moone is in Aries or Sagittari.

For the Melancholy, when the Moone is in Libra or Aquarius.

For the Sanguine complexion, al the former ſignes are indifferent, beyng done with aduiſement and conſyderation, aſwel of the ſtate of the perſon, as of the tyme, ſickneſs, and cauſe.

If they that haue neede to be let Blood do neclect it in tyme, they are after moleſted with Apoſtumes, eyther inwarde or outwarde, or both, with Scabbes, Itches, Tetters, Meaſelles, ſmall Pockes, Ringwoomes, Maſtes, Palſie, Apoplexia, ſpyttyng of Blood, and ſuch lyke griefes, both noyſome and dangerous.

As contrarywyse, they who for custome, or other not necessary and due consideracions do cause them selues to be often let blood, do by that meanes breede great opilacions or stoppynges in their bodyes and veynes, do cause the Dropsie, procure and hasten olde age, destroy the appetite of theyr stomackes, bryng weaknes to the Hart & lyuer, fall into the Palsie, or tremblyng, and briefly do wylfully impouerysh both the naturall and vitall Spirites.

Let all therefore auoyde them selues well in perfourmyng these and such lyke thynges secrete in nature, and the neede and vse thereof not knowen to euery one, but to the learned and studious in Phisicke, and to the skylfull and wel practised in Chirurgerie: whose counsell and ayde they ought to procure for this action, and for many other accidentes incident vnto mans body. &c.

Of Purgyng.

In Purgyng the body these thynges are, and ought chiefly to be considered.

1. FIrst, the strength of the sicke partie, that thereby may be knowen what, and what quantitie of Medicine he may take and beare. &c.

2. Secondly, the Humor which offendeth must be searched out, as whether it be Blood, Choller, Flegme, or Melancholy, that the Medicine may be prouided for the purpose: for yf Choller offende, and Flegme be purged, lytle profite wyll ensue to the sycke person.

3 Thyrdly, what part of the body is diseased, for according to the place must the Medicine be prepared: for if the offendyng matter be in the head, it must be after one maner, if in the stomacke, after another. &c.

4 Fourthly, the matter offendyng must be considered, as whether it be crude and rawe, or matter concocted and digested: and whether it be moouyng matter, or matter that moueth not, and also whether it be one and a symple matter, or els matter myxt and compounde.

5 Fyfthly, the cause whereof the offendyng matter hath his

originall, muſt be obſerued, and the cauſe knowen, it muſt by and by be redreſſed and reſtrayned, that the matter be no more increaſed. That Ceſſante cauſa, ceſſet et effectus.

6 Syxthly, it muſt be knowen, whether the body of the ſycke be eaſie to be loſed, or els hard to loſe.

7 Seuenthly, this conſyderation muſt be well wayghed, that is, how the matter offendyng may moſt commodiouſly be brought foorth and auoyded, as weather by vomyte, by ſege, by vryne, or by ſweate.

8 Laſt of all, you muſt know whether the Sicke doth delyght in liquid or dry Medicines, in Pylles, or Potions, and ſuche lyke, and thereafter, and with other conſiderations before mentioned, muſt the orderyng of Medicines be, and theyr fourme, quantitie, wayght, and meaſure, be ordred and miniſtred.

Now the good ſignes for Purgyng generally, are when the Moone is in Cancer, Scorpius, and Piſces.

Perticulerly, as with Potions and drynkes, when the Moone hath her courſe in Scorpio.

Purge with Electuaries when the Moone is in Cancer.

Purge with Pylles when ſhe is in Piſces.

Take Preparatiues, when the Moone hath her courſe in Gemini, Libra, and Aquarius.

Take Gargariſmes, when ſhe is in Aries or Cancer.

Take Vomytes when the Moone hath her courſe in Aries, Taurus, or Capricorne.

Stoppe Rewmes, Fluxes, and Laſkes, when the Moone is in Taurus, Virgo, or Capricorne.

For vſyng of Oyntmentes and Plaſters, let the Moone be in that ſigne which gouerneth the member or part of the body, that is to be annoynted or plaſtered.

Notes for Bathyng.

KNowe that it is not good to Bath when the Moone is in the earthly signes, as in Taurus, Virgo, and Capricornus, and the reason is, because those signes are of a colde and dry nature, and the nature of colde is to restrayne and bynde, and so the Moone beyng in these signes, the pores of the body are closed and shut, so that there can be no resolution of humors and superfluities, which by Bathyng ought to be auoyded. But in the fyery signes, as when the Moone is in Aries, Leo, and Sagittarius, then it is a good tyme for Bathyng, for then the body is apt to resolution, for it is the nature of heate to open and resolue.

And it is best to Bath two or three dayes after the change, and at the full of the Moone, for then the superfluities are rype, and ready to auoyde, and disposed to flowe out and issue: which in deede is the very ende and vse of Bathyng.

Further, when Bathyng is vsed for health, let the partie greeued learne of the discreete Phisition whether his sickness had neede of moystenyng and dryyng: for yf it require moystenyng, as in Pthisis, and such lyke, then let hym Bath in the watery signes, hauyng good aspectes of Venus and Iupiter. But yf the sickness require dryyng, as in Paralisis, and other of that kynde, then let hym Bath the Moone beyng in the fyery signes, hauyng good aspectes of Mars and Sol.

Also, before ye enter into any Bath, your body must be purged: for yf a man go vnprepared and vnpurged, peraduenture he may be worse after then before.

The best tyme of the yeere to Bath in is the Spryng and Haruest, and in them the monethes of May and September. The best tyme of the day to goe into the Bath is an houre after the Sunne rysing at the least, alwayes prouided that ye must walke eyther an houre or halfe an houre before, and haue a stoole, eyther by Nature, or by Art. Ye must couer your head well so long as ye be in the Bath, and beware that ye dryncke no colde

dryncke

drynke though ye be very thyrſty: but forbeare all thynges that are colde, leaſt when ye are hotte within, the cold ſtryke ſodaynely into ſome principall member, and ſo hurt you.

The tyme of tarying in the Bath is commonly one houre: but it muſt be more or leſſe, accordyng to the nature of the Bath, or ſyckneſs of the Patient.

Of Sweatyng.

Sweatynges are of two ſortes, that is, Naturall, and Artificial, and are vſed for two endes and purpoſes.

The Naturall ſweate, good heede beyng taken in openyng the pores, diſſolueth groſſe and thicke humors, cleanſeth the Blood, comforteth the Spirites, putteth away colde, wyll conſume rawe humors, and helpe rumnes, and the Dropſie.

The Artificiall ſweate wyll cleanſe Scabbes, put away Itchynges, amende vlnes in hearyng, eaſe the payne of the Stone, reſolue congealed and colde Melancholy, and other groſſe and clammy humors. &c.

The ſignes beſt to Sweate in, are Aries, Leo, or Sagittarius.

A Prognostication.

Of the Eclipse of the Moone, that shal be this yeere, 1589.

THere wyll appeare and be seene vnto vs, aboue our Horizon this yeere of our Lord God, 1589. on Fryday the. xv. day of August, a perticuler or partiall Eclipse and darkeyng of the lyght of the Moone, at. viii. of the clocke and. xxi. minutes in the euenyng, shortly after the settyng of the Sunne, within. x. degrees of the Dragons tayle. &c.

At the greatest Obscuration or darknes the Moone is in the seconde degree. viii. minutes, and. xlv. secondes of Pisces, a signe that is feminine, common, nocturnall, of the Septentrionall triplicitie, flegmaticke, of the nature of water, colde and moyst, the house of Iupiter, exaltation of Venus, salt of sauour, and gouernour of the feete, oppolite to the Sunne, who is in the seconde degree. viii. minutes, and. xlv. secondes of Virgo, a signe feminine also, common, nocturnall, and of the Meridionall triplicitie, of the nature of Earth, colde and dry, melancholy, gouernour of the Belly and Bowelles. &c.

This Eclipse is but small, darkenyng the body of the Moone onely three poyntes, and. l. minutes, and is at the ryling of the Moone, and to be seene in the East and by South partes of the worlde, whose colours wyll be blacke, myxt with greene, and

whytyshe

whytyſhe lyke Aſhes. From the begynnyng to the ende of this Eclipſe, it wyll be ſcarce one houre.

This Eclipſe ſhall begynne to take her effect the. xxi. day of September next, and continue vntyll the. xxv. day of Nouember folowyng. And becauſe it is in the watry triplicitie, it is lyke to bryng forth and effect very colde & moyſt weather, with ſtormes, pinchyng men and beaſtes, and many and ſundry ſyckneſſes and infirmities, which wyll vexe the bodyes of many people aſwell young as olde, and the younger before the elder, as is the Quynſie, Pluriſie, inflammations of the Lunges, ſwellynges in the Liuer, and in the Melt, Vlcerations in the Palate of the mouth, hard Coughes, Cathaures, ſharpe Rewmes, Sciatica, the Goute in the Feete, ſyngyng in the Eares, ache in the Legges, frettynges in the Guttes, and ſuch other too long to reſite. Moreouer, other hard euentes are alſo affyrmed to happen by the influence of this Eclipſe: but as the preſager of them is a forreyne Doctor, and not of this Realme, ſo thoſe happes happen to his owne Country and people, accordyng to his prectſe predictions. Our helpe is in the name of the Lord, who hath made & doth gouerne all thinges in heauen and in earth: and though ſome truſt in Horſes, and ſome in Charettes, yet we wyll truſt in the Lord our GOD. Surgente Deo diſperguntur inimici eius.

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A description of the foure quarters of the yeere, and a declaration of the disposition of the same.

Of the Winter.

THe Winter quarter astronomicall of this yeere. 1589. was begunne the. xi. day of December last past, in the yeere. 1588. when as the Sunne entred into the lyst minute or scruple of Capricorne, makyng the Hiemale or Winter Solsticium, hauyng the shortest day and longest nyght, because that the Sunne is then farthest from our verticall poynt. &c. And so Winter continueth vntyll the. x. day of March, that the Sunne enter into the signe of Aries, which begynneth the Quarter called the Spring.

This Quarter is naturally colde and moyst, yet not hurtfull vnto healthfull people, but very greeuous to them that are sicke: and yet it is vnpleasaunt and dangerous for the most part to Trauellers, eyther by Lande or by Sea, and vnto aged persons very combersome and noysome, causyng superfluitie of rawnes, and abundaunce of moystnes to ouerflowe theyr bodyes, to their great trouble and vnquietnes.

This season beyng colde and moyst, as I haue sayd, wyll as I suppose, shewe the nature thereof very forcibly, and especially with plentie of rayne, and blusterying wyndes and stormes, greeuous to be borne both of men and beastes: and whereby shalbe engendred many and greeuous sycknesses, accordyng to the saying of Hipocrate, Morbi in pluuiarum multitudine, magna exparte fiunt febres longe alui profluuia, putredines. &c. That is to say, The diseases and sicknesses which abounde in the tyme of great raynes, are long Feuers, Fluxes of the Belly, diseases proceedyng of rottennesse, and corruption of humors, the Fallyng sycknes, rotten Coughes, thin Rewmes, Headach, and such lyke. Yea God the righteous Lorde, for the neglect of his Worde, and contempt of his Commaundements, wyll doubtles afflict and punyshe vs with

with more and more greeuous ſyckneſſes and diſeaſes, then are here mentioned, yf we do not ſpeedely reforme our ſelues, and turne truely vnto hym.

Let vs therefore preuent his puniſhmentes by our amendementes. Let vs depart from euyll and do good. Let vs caſt of the cloakes of vnhoneſtie, and vnryghteous dealyng. Let no man defraude or beguyle his brother in any maner of thyng. Let euery one ſpeake the trueth from their hartes: for, for the not doyng of theſe thynges commeth the wrath of God, and his anger is kyndeled and prouoked.

A deſcription and declaration of the Spring.

The Spring tyme, which is the ſeconde part of the Aſtronomicall yeere, begynneth when the Sunne entreth into the fyrſt poynt of the moueable ſigne Aries, whiche is on Tueſday, the. x. day of March at. vii. of the clocke and. xiii. minutes in the morning, makyng the Equinoctial, or the equall length of the day and nyght through out the whole worlde: and ſo the Spring continueth vntyll the. xi. day of June, that the Sunne enter into the ſigne Cancer, to make the begynnyng of Sommer. &c.

This ſeaſon of the Spring is naturally the moſt temperate and healthfull tyme of all the yeere, for it is not ſo colde and moyſt as Winter, neyther ſo hot and dry as Sommer, but is very moderate and comfortable, reuiuyng and quickenyng the dulled ſenſes and ſpirites of men and other creatures.

The temperature and ſtate of the weather in this quarter, ſo farre as I can perceyue and coniecture, is lyke to be ſomewhat variable and vnkyndly, fayreſt in the beginning, after vncertaine, repleniſhed with vnkyndly raynes, hurtfull hayles, and dangerous wyndes and ſtormes, aſwell by Land as at Sea, whereby many inconueniences may enſue, both vnto reaſonable and vnreaſonable creatures, yet not much hurtfull to the encreaſe of the earth, for neyther is the moyſture lyke to be ſo plentifull nor ſo continuall, nor the colde ſo fyrce and violent, but that the growing

thynges,

thynges may haue good prosperitie, and yeelde theyr fruites plentifully, God so prouidyng, who doth and wyll sende all needefull thynges meete for the sustentation of such as truely trust in hym, and serue hym, accordyng to his wyll.

The sicknesses of this season are these or such lyke, Fluxes of Blood, the fallyng Euyll, Frensies, Coughes, Pooles, Hoarsenes, Scabbes, ache in the Ioyntes, paynes in the Sydes, Feuers of sundry sortes, Spyttyng, and Vomytyng of Blood, Pluresies, Lytharges, Costiuenes after great laskes, the Toothach, and swimminges in the Head, moysture in the Eyes, and to some want of sleepe, whereby they may fall into vnquietnes, and melancholy passions, or other inconueniences greeuous and deadly.

God the geuer of health and lyfe, turne from vs all euyll, and cause vs with the Spryng, to growe in vertue and al goodnes, that we may be inheritours of the kyngdome of Heauen. Amen.

The description and declaration of the Sommer season.

SOmmer the thyrde part of this yeere, doth take the begynning the .xii. day of June beyng Thursday, when the Sunne entreth into the signe Cancer, and maketh the Sommer Solstice, hauyng his greatest declination to the North from the Equinoctiall lyne, then is the longest day and shortest nyght: and so Sommer is accompted to continue vntyll the .xiii. day of September folowyng.

This Quarter accordyng to his nature is hot and dry, and by the meanes therof worketh alterations in the natures and bodyes of men, and spreadeth and dispearseth his humors: it is applyed vnto Choller, an humor which when it getteth predomination aboue Nature, breedeth most extreeme, hotte, sharpe, and dangerous perylles thereunto. The cures whereof be also very hard, as at some other tyme, I shall as occasion wyll serue shewe and declare.

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The ſtate and temperature of the weather in this Quarter, lyke as I gather ſeaſonable and kyndly, ſauyng that in the begynnyng there is lyke to fall ſome vnlooked for moyſture, and in the ende of July and Auguſt more variable then we would deſire, and towarde the ende of this part or quarter is lyke to be bygge wyndes, but the moſt of the ſeaſon ſeemeth to be of a kyndly conſtitution and naturall, for yeelde of the encreaſe of the thynges in the earth.

The ſyckneſſes generally that are lyke to moleſt many perſons are theſe, tertian and quartane Feuers, Fluxes of ſundry ſortes, Clomytynges, ſores in the Mouth and there about, ſweatynges aboue the force of Nature, ſhortnes of Breath, payneful grypinges in the Stomacke and Belly, and to ſome young Children haſty death. &c.

The deſcription and declaration of the Haruеſt.

HAruеſt, called otherwyſe the Fall of the Leafe, the laſt part of this Aſtronomicall yeere. 1589. doth begyn the. xiii. day of September beyng Saterday, at. vii. of the clocke and. xxvii. minutes in the mornyng, for then the Sunne doth enter into the fyrſt minute or ſcruple of the ſigne Libra, and maketh the ſeconde Equinoctiall, called the Equinoctiall of the Haruеſt, for nowe is the Sunne returned ſo farre backe agayne from his declination to the North, cauſyng the day and nyght to be equally proportionate or of one length, as when the Sunne entred into Aries, and ſo Haruеſt continueth vnto the. xi. day of December folowyng.

This ſeaſon beyng of nature colde and dry, compared vnto Melancholy, varyeth altogeather from the nature of the Spring, and is as Hipocrate ſayth, the Mother or Nurſe of dangerous ſyckneſſes. And Galen that prince of Phiſitions ſayth, it is the moſt perilous tyme of all the yeere: for what hath been euyl in the ſeaſons before, or through the condition of the ayre in Sommer, ſhall now geue great force vnto ſyckneſs, and breede peſtilent Feuers,

ners, Botches, mangines, and such like, both lothsome & greenous: but this tyme in my opinion wylbe rather colde and moyst, with sturdy and rough wyndes, then colde and dry after his nature. Wherefore I suppose that these and such lyke diseases and sycknesses wyll ensue hereof, namely opilations in the Spleene, Coryuenes, shortnes of Breath, frettyng in the Bowelles, Fallyng Sickness, and many other Melancholy effectes, payne in the Sydes, as Stytches, and Crampes, or Conuultions, Dropsies, Sciatica, the Strangurie, and Collickes, and many moe too long to be tolde, and nothyng pleasaunt to be heard, and very greeuous to be suffered of those vpon whom the Lord shall lay them.

Let vs pray therefore vnto our most gratious God, and mercifull Father, that he wyll take from vs all hurtfull thynges, and geue those thynges which be profitable for vs, and not to punyshe vs after our sinnes, nor reward vs accordyng to our wyckednesses, but to helpe our weakenes, and encrease his graces in vs, that sinne reigne not in our mortall bodyes, which is the cause not onely of the sicknesses of the body, but of euerlastyng punyshment of our soules, togeather with our bodyes, as banyshed from the comfortable presence of the glory of the deuine maiestie, into the most horrible and discomfortable syght of Sathan, and his hellyshe tormentes without redemption. And this he do vnto vs for the glory of his owne name, and for the merites of his deare Sonne Iesus Christ our Lorde. Amen.

Here

Here foloweth a note to know the Lawe dayes in the court of Arches, and audience of Canterburie, through the whole yeere. &c.

And fyrſt of Michaelmas Terme.

S. Fayth.	All Sainctes.	S. Andrew.	
S. Edwarde.	S. Martine.	The conception	
S. Luke.	S. Edmonde	of the virgin	
S. Simon & Iude.	S. Katherine.	Marie.	

KNow ye, that the fyrſt day folowyng euery of theſe Feaſtes noted in euery Terme, the Court of the Arches is kept in Bowe Church in the forenoone: And the ſame day in the after noone, is the Admirall Court for ciuyll cauſes kept in Southwarke.

Further it is to be knowen, that the ſeconde day folowyng each of the ſayd Feaſtes, the Court of Audience of Canterburie is holden at the conſiſtorie in S. Paules Church in the forenoone, and in the after noone the ſame day, and the ſame place, is the Prerogatiue Court of Canterburie holden.

The thyrde day after any ſuch Feaſt, in the forenoone the Conſiſtorie Court of ꝑ Bysshop of London is kept in S. Paules church. And the ſame day in the after noone, is the court of Delegates, and of her hyghnes Commiſſioners vpon Appeales, kept in the ſame place.

Hillarie Terme.

S. Hillarie.	S. Scolaſtice.	S. Chadde.	
S. Wolſtane.	S. Valentine.	S. Perpet. & Felix.	
Conuert. of Paul.	Aſhwednesday	S. Gregorie.	
S. Blaſe.	S. Matthias.	Annun. of Marie.	

Note that the. iiii. fyrſt dayes of Hillarie terme, be certayne and vnchangeable, the other are altered after the courſe of the yeere, and ſometyme kept, & ſometyme omitted: for yf it happen ſo, that one of theſe Feaſtes after S. Blaſe, fall on Aſhwednesday, as it doth ſometyme, ſo that the ſame Lawday after cannot be kept, becauſe the Lawday of the other Feaſtes do lyght on the ſame day, then the ſeconde Lawday after Aſhwednesday ſhalbe kept, and the other ſhalbe omitted. If the Lawday of the ſayd Wednesday be

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the next day after the feast of S. Blase, then shall all those Court dayes be kept in order, as they may conuenientlye.

Easter Terme.

S. Alphege. S. Marke. Inuent. of the Crosse. } { S. Gordian. S. Dunstane. Ascention day.

In this Terme, the fyrst syttyng is alwayes kept the Munday, beyng the .xv. day after Easter, and so forth after the Feastes here aboue noted, which next folow by course of the yeere after Easter, and lyke space beyng kept betweene other Feastes.

The rest of the Lawdayes are kept tyll the thyrd day after the Ascention, which is the last day of this Terme: and yf it so happen that the feast of Ascention do come before any of the forsayde Feastes, then they are left of for that yeere. And lykewyse yf any of these dayes do come before the .xv. day after Easter, they are also omitted.

Trinitie Terme.

Trinitie Sunday. Corpus christi day. S. Boniface. S. Barnabe. } { S. Botulph. S. Iohn. S. Paul. Transl. of Thomas. } { S. Swythen. S. Margarete. S. Anne.

Knowe ye, that the Lawdayes of this Terme are altered by the meanes of the fallyng of Whitsontyde: and the fyrst sittyng is kept alwayes on the fyrst Lawday after the feast of the holy Trinitie. And the seconde is kept the fyrst Lawday after Corpus Christi, except it fall on some day afore named, as sometymes it doth, and then the day which is thought fytter is kept.

And after the seconde session, accompt. iiii. dayes, or thereabout, and then looke which is the next Feast day, & fyrst Lawday, after the sayd Feast, shalbe the thyrde session. The other Lawdayes folow in order, so many as shalbe thought meete to be kept.

And note generally, that euery day is called a Lawday, that is not Sunday or Holyday. And that the Feast day beyng knowne of any Court day in any Terme, the fyrst or seconde day be Sunday, then the Court day is kept the day after ỹ sayd Holyday, or Feast.

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A pretie ſhort Table, and eaſie to be vnderſtanded of any, to knowe for euer how long the Moone doth ſhyne euery nyght.

The age of the Moone increaſing.	The houres and minutes that ſhe ſhyneth.		The age of the Moone decreaſing
☽	Houres.	Minutes.	☾
1	0	48	29
2	1	36	28
3	2	24	27
4	3	12	26
5	4	0	25
6	4	48	24
7	5	36	23
8	6	24	22
9	7	12	21
10	8	0	20
11	8	48	19
12	9	36	18
13	10	24	17
14	11	12	16
15	12	0	15

How to vſe this Table.

LOoke the age of the Moone in this Almanacke, or in ſome other made for this yeere, or any other to come, then ſeeke the ſame in this Table, which you ſhall fynde eyther in the increaſyng or decreaſyng, and then in the myddle Colunne you ſhall without further labour fynde ſet downe the true tyme of her ſhynyng.

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Here foloweth a declaration of the dayly diſpoſition of the weather throughout the whole yeere, with *the day, houre, and minute of the* change, full, and quarters of the Moone.

Of Ianuarie. 1589.

Stubbe Lande to make Medowes, or eareable grounde:
To better thy Bees, a new ſeate muſt be founde.
Vncouer the rootes of the Trees that beare fruite,
In hope of more plentie of euery ſuite.

THe fyrſt day wyndy, and in the mornyng ſome ſhewers, but at nyght fayre and calme. The. ii. day is frokty and very colde. The. iii. and. iiii. dayes, are cold and rayny. The. v. day, very colde and variable.

The new Moone on Munday, beyng Twelfe day, at one of the clocke, and. vii. minutes after noone, in Capricorne, colde and darke weather. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, ſomewhat foggy and cloſe, entermyngled with colde and ſmall rayne, or els fleete. The. ix. and. x. dayes, more variable, with raine and wynd. The. xi. and. xii. dayes, fayre and freſhe weather, with ſome myſtynges among.

The fyrſt quarter on Munday, the. xiii. day, at. xi. of the clocke and. iiii. minutes before noone, in the ſigne Aries, colde, but fayre. The. xiiii. day, a fayre day for this tyme. The. xv. and. xvi. dayes, diſpoſed to froſt. The. xvii and. xviii. dayes, wyndy and wauering weather. The. xix. and. xx. dayes, more mylde, but variable.

The full Moone on Tueſday, the. xxi day, at. iiii. of the clocke in the after noone, in the ſigne Cancer, rayne and wynd. The. xxii. day, fayre. The. xxiii. and. xxiiii. dayes, enclyned to ſome ſnowe, yet holdyng vp for the moſt part. The. xxv. and. xxvi. dayes, very colde weather. The. xxvii. & xxviii. dayes, cold freezing windes.

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The laſt quarter, on Wedneſday, the. xxix. day, at. ix. of the clocke before noone in the ſigne Libra, colde, with ſome froſt. The. xxx. and. xxxi. dayes, lowryng colde weather.

Of Februarie.

Pare Moſſe and vayne Branches from fruite trees away.
Set Roſes, plant Quickſettes when Moone doth decay.
Pricke Peaſon and Beanes, yf thy Garden be dry,
At change of the Moone, and in Beautifull ſkie.

The fyrſt and ſecond dayes, foule weather, with hayle or rayne. The. iii. day colde ſhewers, and towarde nyght ſomewhat wyndy.

The new Moone on Tueſday, the. iiii. day, at. xi. of the clocke and xxxiii. minutes before mydnyght, in the ſigne Aquarius, maſculine, fired, diurnall, of the occidentall triplicitie, of the nature of the ayre, ſanguine, hot and moyſt, the houſe of Saturne. &c. in a mantion that is temperate, ſoretelleth the weather to be cloudy and colde, but not with extremitie. The. v. and. vi. dayes, lowryng and variable, hauyng ſome ſunſhyne in them. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, temperate weather, and fayre for this tyme. The. ix. and. x. dayes, more colde then the former. The. xi. day, colde and ſomewhat wyndy.

The fyrſt quarter on Wedneſday, the. xii. day, at. v. of the clocke in the morning, in the ſigne Taurus, variable and colde weather. The. xiii. and. xiiii. dayes, fayre and freſhe weather. The. xv. and. xvi. dayes, lowryng ſomewhat and colde, but holdyng vp, except in the nyght. The xvii. and. xviii. dayes, rayne, with a lykelyhood to thunder. The. xix. day, it holdeth vp.

The full Moone on Thurſday, the. xx. day, at. ix. of the clocke before noone, in the ſigne Virgo, feminine, common, of the nyght, and triplicite meridionall, of the nature of the earth, melancholicke, colde and dry, the houſe of Mercury. &c. in a mantion that is temperately cold, ſheweth wynd and rayne. The. xxi. and. xxii. dayes, great wyndes, and ſtormy colde weather. The. xxiii. and

xviii. dayes, not muche vnlyke the former, yet not ſo fyerce. The.xxv.and.xxvi.dayes,ſhewery, with colde wyndes.

The laſt quarter on Thurſeday, the. xxvii. day, at. vii. of the clocke in the euenyng, cloudy and colde, diſpoſed to ſleete. The laſt day,colde,yf it happen to be dry.

Of March.

Set Pumpions and Cytrulles,March counſelleth ſo,
With Roſemarie,Rewe Sage,and other hearbes moe.
Couer cloſe the rootes of the Trees thou madſt bare,
And cariage for Compoſt,let next be thy care.

The fyrſt day,a froſt in the mornyng,after fayre and temperate. The.ii. and. iii. dayes, the wynde aryſeth, and enforſeth ſome colde ſhewers. The.iiii. and. v. dayes,cloſe and colde weather,with ſome rayne or hayle.

The new Moone on Thurſeday,the. vi. day,at.x of the clocke and.xxv. minutes before noone, in the ſigne Piſces, feminine, common, of the nyght and triplicitie ſeptentrional, of the nature of water,flegmaticke,cold and moyſt, the houſe of Iupiter, and exaltation of Venus,in a mantion that is moyſt,betokeneth rayne and ſtormy weather. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, temperate & warme weather. The. ix. and. x. dayes, not ſo warme,but ſhewerie. The.xi.and.xii.dayes,freſhe wyndes, and fayre weather.

The fyrſt quarter on Thurſeday,the.xiii.day.xxv.minutes after mydnyght,in the ſigne Gemini. &c. temperate weather for this tyme. The. xiii. day, lowryng after noone, with ſome ſhewers. The. xv. and. xvi. dayes, kyndly March weather. The. xvii. and. xviii. dayes, fayre and cleere. The. xix. and. xx. dayes,ſhewers are threatned.

The full Moone on fryday, the. xxi. day, at. xi. of the clocke, and. xxxi. minutes at nyght,in the ſigne Libra,maſculine, moueable,of the day,equinoctiall, of the occidentall triplicitie, of the nature of the ayre, ſanguine, hot & moyſt, the houſe of Venus. &c, and in a mantion that is colde and moyſt, ſignifieth wyndy and foule weather. The. xxii. day rayne. The. xxiii. and. xxiiii. dayes,

dayes, inconstant cold weather. The. xxv. and. xxvi. dayes, cloudy close weather, and colde. The. xxvii. and. xxviii. dayes, freshe wyndes, and cloudy ouercast weather.

The last quarter on Fryday, the. xxviii. day, at mydnyght, in the signe Capricorne, somewhat wyndy colde weather, with moysture fallyng. The. xxix. and. xxx. dayes, wyndy and waueryng. The. xxxi. day, colde and wyndy.

Of Apryll.

In Lande that is stubberne, and in tyllyng not tough,
Your Barlie in this month may be sowne well enough.
Your Garden with good Seedes let now be well fraught.
And sow Hempe aud Flaxe, els all wyll be naught.

The fyrst and seconde dayes, very variable, with rayne, and peraduenture some thunder. The. iii. day, fayre and pleasaunt weather.

The new Moone on Fryday, the. iiii. day, at. x. of the clocke, and xxv. min. at nyght, in the signe Aries, masculine, moueable, equinoctiall, diurnall, of the orientall triplicitie, of the nature of fyre and choler adust, the exaltation of the Sunne. &c. in a mantion that is temperate, signifieth freshe and dry weather. The. v. and vi. dayes, fresh ayre, and oft ouercast with cloudes, threatnyng rayne or other moysture. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, close ayre at certayne tymes, with dashyng shewers of rayne. The. ix. and. x. dayes, more cleere, dry, and comfortable. The. xi. day, very fayre.

The fyrst quarter on Saterday, the. xii. day, at. vii. of the clocke and. xiii. minutes in the euenyng, in Cance, some shewers fall, and the weather is warme. The. xiii. and xiiii. dayes, seasonable weather. The. xv and. xvi. dayes, wynd and rayne, with some thunder. The. xvii. and. xviii. dayes, not much vnlyke the former. The. xix. day, wyndy and variable.

The full Moone on Sunday, the. xx. day, at. xi. of the clocke, and. xii. minutes before noone, in the signe Libra, masculine, moueable, equinoctial, diurnall, of the nature of the

ayre, ſanguine, hot and moyſt. &c. in a mantion that is moyſt, betokeneth variable and moyſt weather. The. xxi. and. xxii dayes, temperate weather. The. xxiii. and. xxiiii. dayes, very kyndly weather. The. xxv. and. xxvi. dayes, wauerynge weather, and ſome moyſture fallyng.

The laſt quarter on Sunday, the. xxvii. at. v. of the clocke, and. xii. minutes in the mornyng, in the ſigne Aquarius, ſeaſonable weather for this tyme. The. xxviii. xxix. and. xxx. dayes, variable diſpoſition, threatnyng vnkyndly weather.

Of May.

Of Fruites for his houſe who fayne woulde haue ſtore,
Muſt now play the huſbande, yf neuer before.
As Turneppes, and ſuch lyke, to eate with thy meate.
And ſtyrre well thy Fallow for Rie and for Wheate.

The fyrſt day fayre and dry. The. ii. day, fayre before noone, but after noone wyndy, and ſome moyſture fallyng. The. iii. day, pleaſaunt weather.

The new Moone on Sunday, the. iiii. day, at. xi. of the clocke, and. xiiii. minutes before hygh noone, in the ſigne Taurus, feminine, fired, of the nyght, and meridionall triplicitie, of the nature of the earth, melancholyke, the houſe of Venus. &c. in a mantion that is moyſt, foreſheweth wynde, with ſome rayne. The. v. and. vi. dayes, very ſeaſonable. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, ſomewhat rawe colde and wyndy. The. ix. and. x. dayes, thewery and wyndy. The. xi. day, more mylde.

The fyrſt quarter on Munday the. xii. day, at one of the clocke after hygh noone, in the ſigne Leo, variable, and enclyned to ſome ſtormes. The. xiii. and. xiiii. dayes, cloudy, with wynde and rayne. The. xv. and. xvi. dayes, warme, with ſome beawie rayne. The. xvii. and. xviii. dayes very fayre.

The full Moone the. xix. day, at. ix. of the clocke at nyght, in the ſigne Scorpius, feminine, fired, nocturnall, of the triplicitio ſeptentrionall, of watry nature, flegmaticke, cold and moyſt, the

houſe

houſe of Mars. &c. in a mantion that is dry, the weather lyke to be wyndy and variable. The. xx. day wyndy, otherwyſe fayre. The. xxi. and. xxii. dayes, temperately warme & fayre. The. xxiii. and. xxiiii. dayes, inconſtant, yet not colde, but ſome deawie ſhewers. The. xxv. day, more freſhe then the former.

The laſt quarter on Munday, the. xxvi. day, at. vi. of the clocke and. xiiii. minutes before noone, in the ſigne Piſces, variable and moyſt weather. The. xxvii. and. xxviii. dayes, fayre and pleaſaunt weather. The. xxix. and. xxx. dayes, foule weather, with wynde and rayne. The. xxxi. day, ſome ſtorme and vnkyndly weather for a tyme.

Of Iune.

Let Teemes now be trudgyng, fat dung to beare out.
And home to bryng Fuell, that lyeth there about.
Your Sithes, and ſuch trinkettes as ſerue for to mowe
Prepare, and cut Medowes that lye ſomewhat lowe.

THe fyrſt and ſeconde dayes, vnſtable, and not kyndly weather for this ſeaſon.

The new Moone the. iii. day, beyng Tueſday, at one of the clocke in the morning, in the ſigne Gemini, maſculine, common, diurnall, of the occidentall triplicitie, of ayre nature, ſanguine, hot and moyſt, the houſe of Mercury. &c. and in a mantion that is temperate, ſignifieth ſome wynde and rayne. The. iiii. day, very fayre. The. v. and. vi. dayes, pleaſant Sommer dayes. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, fayre cleere weather, with coolyng wynd. The. ix. and. x. dayes, wauering, yet fayre & dry.

The fyrſt quarter on Wenſday, the. xi. day, at. iiii. of the clocke, and. x. minutes in the morning, in the ſigne Virgo, temperate warme weather. The. xii. day, refreſhyng wynde. The. xiii. and. xiiii. dayes, fayre, but freſh wyndes. The. xv. and. xvi. dayes, ſometyme cloudy, cloſe, and freſhe blaſtes of wynde. The. xvii. day, in the morning cloudy cloſe, but after cleere, and yet wauering and vncertayne weather.

The full Moone on Wednſday, the. xviii. day, at. iiii. of the

clocke, and. xxv. minutes in the mornyng, in the ſigne Sagittari, maſculine, common, of the day, and triplicitie oriental, of the nature of fyre, and choller adust. &c. in a mantion that is temperate, ſheweth the weather to be fayre for a tyme, but after moyſt. The. xix. and. xx. dayes, wynde and rayne. The. xxi. and. xxii. dayes, lowryng and cloudy, with ſome rayne fallyng at noone and after. The. xxiii. day, ſome deawes fall in the mornyng, but after it holdeth vp.

The laſt quarter on Tueſday, the. xxiiii. day, at vii. of the clocke in the euenyng, in the ſigne Aries, ſome rayne, with wynde. The. xxv. and xxvi. dayes, more wyndy then fayre, with ſhewers. The. xxvii. and. xxviii. dayes, temperately warme and fayre. The. xxix. and. xxx. dayes, no kyndly weather for this ſeaſon.

Of Iuly.

Hygh Paſtures preſerued for plentie of Hay,
Are ſo growen, that now downe cut them ye may.
And yf Sommer proue kindly, to heate and to dry,
Set Sickles a woorke, ere all Iuly goe by.

The fyrſt day, fayre and warme.

The new Moone on Wedneſday, the. ii. day, at. iiii. of the clocke at after noone, in the ſigne Cancer, feminine, moueable, ſolſticiall, nocturnall, of the ſeptentrionall triplicitie, colde and moyſt, of the nature of water, flegmaticke, the houſe of the Moone. &c. in a mantion that is cloudy and temperate, betokeneth the weather to be warme, with ſome moyſture. The. iii. and. iiii. dayes, warme wauering weather. The. v. and. vi. dayes, very warme. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, hotte and dry weather. The. ix. and. x. dayes, hot and dry for the moſt part.

The fyrſt quarter is on Thurſday, the. x. day, at. v. of the clocke, and. xliii. minutes at after noone, in the ſigne Libra, maſculine, moueable, diurnall, æquinoctiall, of the occidentall triplicitie, ſanguine, of the nature of the ayre, hot and moyſt, the houſe of Venus. &c. in a mantion that is moyſt, ſheweth the weather

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to be ſoultrie warme. The. xi. and. xii. dayes, hot and wauering wether. The. xiii. and. xiiii. dayes, warme, but in the nyght wauerynge and frethe. The. xv. and. xvi. dayes, fully hot.

The full Moone on Thurſeday, the. xvii. day, at. x. of the clocke before hygh noone, in the ſigne Capricorne, feminine, moueable, nocturnall, and of the meridionall triplicitie, of earthy nature, colde and dry, the houſe of Saturne, and exaltation of Mars. &c. in a mantion that is temperate, telleth of warme and wauerynge weather. The. xviii. xix. and. xx. dayes, ſhewerie weather. The. xxi. and. xxii. dayes, holdyng vp, and hotte. The. xxiii. day, very warme.

The laſt quarter on Thurſeday, the. xxiiii. day, at. iiii. of the clocke, and xl. minutes in the morning, in the ſigne Taurus, warme weather. The. xxv. and. xxvi. dayes, ſome ſmall mylling raynes. The. xxvii. and. xxviii. dayes, very warme. The. xxix. and. xxx. dayes, ſmall coolyng wynde. The. xxxi. day, hot and ſoulty weather.

Of Auguſt.

The Fruites that be rype, with ſpeede ſee thou pull.
Cut Wheate and Rie lykewyſe to fyll thy Barnes full.
With Otes and with Peaſe be not too ſlacke.
So mayſt thou haue ſome, when others do lacke.

THE new Moone on Fryday, the fyrſt day, at. viii. of the clocke in the morning, in the ſigne Leo, maſculine, fiery, diurnall, of the oriental triplicitie, of the fyerie nature, hot and dry, the houſe of the Sunne. &c. in a mantion that is moyſt, ſignifieth the weather to be cloudy and warme. The. ii. day, wyndy ſhewers, enclyned to ſome thunder. The. iii. and. iiii. dayes, warme, but wauerynge. The. v. and. vi. dayes, hot weather & calme. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, a few heate droppes fall.

The fyrſt quarter on Saterday, the. ix. day, at. iiii. of the clocke, and. xx. minutes in the morning, in the ſigne Scorpius, warme and lyke to thunder. The. x. and. xi. dayes, very ſeaſonable wea-

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ther. The. xii. and. xiii. dayes, ſome ſodayne ſtorme of wynde and rayne. The. xiiii. day, lowryng in part, yet very warme.

The full Moone Eclipſed, on fryday, the. xv. day, at. vii. of the clocke, and. xxi. minutes at nyght, in the ſigne Piſces, the weather ſomewhat boyſterous for a tyme. The. xvi. day, ſome moyſture falleth. The. xvii. and. xviii. dayes, very hot weather. The xix. and. xx. dayes, goodly Sommer weather. The. xxi. day, ſome deawie rayne falleth.

The laſt quarter on Fryday, the. xxii. day, at. vii. of the clocke, and. xxv. minutes in the euenyng, fayre freſh weather. The. xxiii. and. xxiiii. dayes, very ſeaſonable and warme weather. The. xxv. and. xxvi. dayes, hot and dry, with fayntnes. The. xxvii. and xxviii. dayes, lyke to the former. The. xxix. day, wynde, with ſome rayne.

The new Moone on Saterday, the. xxx. day, at. xi. of the clocke at nyght, cloudy and ouercaſt weather. The. xxi. day, it rayneth.

Of September.

Thy Wheate and thy Rye now mayſt thou ſowe,
Vnles thou thy ſelfe a better tyme knowe.
But how and whenſoeuer thou take this in hande,
Well manurd and ſtyrde before, let be thy Lande.

THE fyrſt and ſeconde dayes, fayre weather and freſhe. The. iii. and. iiii. dayes, very fayre and warme. The. v. and. vi. dayes, ſome moyſture falleth.

The fyrſt quarter on Sunday, the. vii. day, at noone, in the ſigne Sagittarius, very warme for this ſeaſon. The. viii. and. ix. dayes, ſomewhat lowryng and freſhe weather. The. x. and. xi. dayes, wyndy, procuryng rayne. The. xii. and. xiii. dayes, foule bluſteryng & ſtormie weather. The. xiii. much lyke the former.

The full Moone on Sunday, the. xiiii. day, at. iii. of the clocke, and. l. minutes in the morning, in the ſigne Piſces, feminine, common, nocturnall, of the triplicitie ſeptentrionall, of the nature of water, flegmaticke, colde and moyſt, the houſe of Iupiter. &c. in a mantion that is dry, it ſignifieth the weather lyke to be inconſtant

conſtant and wet. The. xv. and. xvi. dayes, fayre and ſtyll warme weather. The. xvii. and. xviii. dayes, pleaſant ayre for this tyme. The. xix. and. xx. dayes, ſome moyſture falleth.

The laſt quarter on Sunday, the. xxi. day. xi. minutes after high noone, in the ſigne Cancer, ſeaſonable weather for this time. The. xxii. day, cleere ayre, and dry weather. The. xxiii. and xxiiii. dayes, the wynde aryſeth and procureth ſome rayne. The. xxv. and. xxvi. dayes, it holdeth vp for the moſt part. The. xxvii. and. xxviii. dayes, lowryng cloſe weather, with rayne.

The new Moone on Munday, the. xxix. day, at. ii. of the clocke, and. vii. minutes at after noone, in the ſigne Libra, maſculine, moueable, æquinoctiall, diurnall, of the weſt triplicitie, of the nature of the ayre, ſanguine, hot and moyſt, the houſe of Venus. &c. in a mantion that is temperate, ſignifieth cloudy, and ſomewhat wyndy weather. The. xxx. day, wyndy, with rayne.

Of October.

Scoure Dytches, ſet Plummes, Peare, Apple, and Nutte.
And now plaſhe thy Trees, and let hedges be cut.
To ſow Wheate and Rie to, the ſeaſon is good,
If ſo much rayne fall not as doth make a floodde.

The fyrſt and ſeconde dayes, freſhe weather, but dry. The. iii. and. iiii. dayes, it lowreth, and is wyndy, threatnyng rayne. The. v. and. vi. dayes, the wynde encreaſeth, and bryngeth ſhewers.

The fyrſt quarter on Munday, the. vi. day, at. vii. of the clocke, and. xlviii. minutes at nyght, wyndy and wet weather. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, ſomewhat cloſe and colde. The. ix. and. x. dayes, cloudy thycke weather, bent to moyſture. The. xi. and. xii. dayes, ſome ſtraggelyng ſhewers.

The full Moone on Munday, the. xiii. day, at two of the clocke and. xxxii minutes at after noone, in the ſigne Aries, maſculine, moueable, of the day, equinoctial, and of the eaſt triplicitie, of the nature of fyre and choler aduſt, the exaltation of the Sunne. &c.

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in a mantion that is dry, betokeneth freſhe and colde weather. The.xiiii.day,ſome rayne,yf it do not thunder. The.xv and.xvi. dayes, variable, and ſometyme diſpoſed to moyſture. The.xvii. and.xviii.dayes,variably diſpoſed, with ſome rayne or ſleete. &c. The.xix. and.xx. dayes,colde,with wynd.

The laſt quarter on Tueſday, the.xxi. day, at.viii. of the clocke in the morning,in Leo,wyndy blaſtes,& variable weather. The.xxii.day,cold wynd, otherwyſe fayre. The.xxiii.and.xxiiii. dayes, colde and variable weather. The.xxv. and.xxvi. dayes, ſmall froſt, and colde withall. The.xxvii. and.xxviiii. dayes, colde rayne,or ſuch lyke weather.

☞ The new Moone on Wedneſday, the xx'x. day, at. iiii. of the clocke, and. xl. minutes in the morning, in the ſigne Scorpio, feminine,fyxed,nocturnall, of the ſeptentrionall triplicitie, of the nature of water, flegmaticke, colde and moyſt. &c. in a mantion that is moyſt,foretelleth of colde and moyſt weather. The.xxx. and. xxxi. dayes,wynde and foule weather.

Of Nouember.

Fell downe your Tymber at the wane of the Moone.
And fallow for Barly,it is not too ſoone.
Cut Aſhe to furnyſhe your Harrow and Plough.
Kyll Swine,and make Malt it is euer good ſtuffe.

The fyrſt and ſecond dayes,lowryng weather, & cold deawes. The. iii. and. iiii dayes, raw colde,with ſleete,or ſuch lyke.

The fyrſt quarter on Wedneſday,the. v. day, at two of the clocke,and. x. minutes in the morning, in the ſigne Aquarius, wynde and rayne. The. vi. day is much lyke to the. v. The.vii. and.viii. dayes, foule weather,with rayne and wynd,threatnyng ſome thunder. The. ix. and. x. dayes, froſty mornynges, after variable. The. xi. day,temperate and fayre.

The full Moone on Wednſday, the. xii. day, at. iiii. of the clocke in the morning,in the ſigne Taurus, cold & moyſt weather. The.xiii.and.xiiii. dayes, wynde and rayne in the nyghtes, and colde dayes. The. xv,and.xvi.dayes, colde wyndes, with rayne,

or ſome other moyſture. The. xvii. and. xviii. dayes, it holdeth vp, and is cloſe weather. The. xix. day, colde ayre.

The laſt quarter on Fryday, the. xx. day, at. iiii. of the clocke, and. xxvi. minutes in the morning, in Virgo, fayre wyndy weather. The. xxi. and. xxii. dayes, a troubled ayre, with ſleete or rayne, and cloſe dayes. The. xxiii. and. xxiiii. dayes, wyndy ſhewers, and colde ayre. The. xxv. and. xxvi. dayes, more mylde and fayre then the former, but cloſe ayre.

The new Moone on Thurſeday, the. xxvii. day, at. v. of the clocke, and xxiiii. minutes in the euenyng, and in the ſigne Sagittari, maſculine, common, of the day, and triplicitie orientall, of the nature of fyre, and choler aduſt, the houſe of Iupiter. &c. in a mantion that is moyſt, prognoſticateth wyndy and rayny weather. The. xxviii. day, diſpoſed to freeze, with ſharpe wynd. The. xxix. and. xxx. dayes, cloudy and lowryng, diſpoſed to rayne, or other moyſture.

Of December.

Looke to thy poore Cattell, that are weake and bare.
And houſe them, or feede them, let that be thy care.
And as thou art able, conſyder the poore,
And God wyll then bleſſe thee, thy Baſket and ſtore.

The fyrſt day, is colde and cloudy, and towarde nyght rayne or ſleete falleth. The. ii. and. iii. dayes, cold eaſterly wyndes, procuryng ſome ſnowe.

The fyrſt quarter on Thurſeday, the. iiii. day, at. x. of the clocke, and. xvi. minutes before noone, in the ſigne piſces, foule and colde weather. The. v. and. vi. dayes, cold ayre, cloſe and very variable weather. The. vii. and. viii. dayes, colde wyndes, and ſome rayne or ſleete. The. ix. and. x. dayes, freſhe colde ayre and cloſe, with ſhewers.

The full Moone on Thurſeday, the. xi. day, at. viii. of the clocke, and. xxiiii. minutes at nyght, in the ſigne Gemini, maſculine, common, of the day, and occidentall triplicitie, of the nature of the ayre, ſanguine, hot and moyſt. &c. in a mantion that is temperate,

perate, ſheweth the weather to be temperate alſo for this ſeaſon. The. xii. day, mylde weather for this tyme. The. xiii. and. xiiii. dayes, ſome colde myſlynges, or ſmall ſhewers. The. xv. and. xvi. dayes, ſome ſmall froſtes quickly reſolued. The. xvii. and. xviii. dayes, wyndy cloſe weather.

The laſt quarter on Fryday, the. xix. day. xxvii. minutes after mydnyght, in the ſigne Libra, colde cloſe weather. The. xx. day, rawe colde, with cloudy moyſture. The. xxi. and. xxii. dayes, more temperate and fayre. The. xxiii. and. xxiiii. dayes, inconſtant weather, and cloudy darke. The. xxv. and. xxvi. dayes, ſomewhat wyndy, yet moſt part dry.

The new Moone the. xxvii. day, at. v. of the clocke in the mornyng, in the ſigne Capricornus, femenine, moueable. &c. colde and wyndy weather. The. xxviii. and. xxix. dayes, very cold wyndes. The. xxx. and. xxxi. dayes, cloſe and inconſtant weather, with rayne or ſnow.

O Lorde preſerue our gratious Queene,
Defende her from all foes:
Thy fauoure ſtyll on her be ſeene,
Wherſeuer her Maieſtie goes.
Her Councellers and Nobles all,
Keepe lykewyſe in thy grace,
That from thy law they neuer fall,
Nor turne from thee theyr face.
The Cleargie Lorde direct a ryght,
And guyde them in thy wayes,
Endue them with thy holy ſpirite,
To teach thy trueth alwayes.
The Commons and the people Lorde,
Subiected to her grace,
Maynteyne in wealth and one accorde,
Obedience to embrace. Amen.

FINIS.

Thus ſayth Buckmynſters Booke, to all thoſe that therein looke.

Conuertimini, et credite Euangelio.

1 AWake for ſhame, why ſnort you thus and ſleepe?
Why lye you ſtyll, when tyme it is to ryſe?
Why cauſe you not this ſlome away to creepe?
Why doth it ſtyll thus lurke within your eyes?
Awake I ſay, ye worldlynges nothyng wyſe,
Deſtruction and wrath els ſodenly wyll come:
Awake therefore and ſhake away this ſlome.

2 This ſlome I meane, the ſlome it is of ſinne,
That doth prouoke Gods endles wrath and ire,
Who now to ſtrike is ready to begynne,
As iuſt rewarde for our deſerued hyre,
With Serpentes ſtyng of hot conſumyng fyre.
Ne young nor olde, but he wyll both deſtroy,
If we the ſooner auoyde not his annoy.

3 Both Vzurie, oppreſſion, and fylthy lurkyng luſt,
Doth rule and reigne almoſt in euery place,
Diſobedience and wrath, with promiſes vniuſt,
Poſſeſſe now the part that longeth vnto grace:
I meane mans hart, which ſinne doth ſo deface,
That Grace is gone, Iniquities remayne.
And Sathan enioyeth it, with all his hellyſh payne.

4 O fooles vnfortunate whoſe lamentable dayes,
With ſtealyng ſteppes approcheth to you neare:
For God abhorreth your fylthy wicked wayes,
As in his worde ryght planely doth appeare.
Woe, woe, woe, at length wyll be your cheere,
When woorme of Conſcience within your Breſt ſhall eate:
And flamyng fyre your wofull fleſhe ſhall frette.

5 Why lyue ye here as though ye woulde lyue ſtyll?
Remember man the ſentence of the Iuſt.

I meane

I meane the Lorde that once for Adams yll,
Pronounced thus, Thou ſhalt returne to duſt,
Both thou and thyne, with all thy ſeede vniuſt.
Thus hath he ſpoken, whoſe worde ſhall ſtyll endure.
Wherefore O man, to dye thou ſhalt be ſure.
6 And ſith we are fallen into the latter age,
Let vs returne, and for our ſinnes repent,
And ſlyppe no more into ſo great outrage,
Whereby we offende the moſt omnipotent:
So ſhall we be ſure great plagues to preuent,
And eſcape the tormentes that euermore ſhall laſt:
Whereof the wycked at length are ſure to taſte.
Of loue the Author dyd this make,
In good part Reader do it take.

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